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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Inventor: James R. Hornsby

Appln. No.: 10/071,545

Filing Date: February 8, 2002

Title: CARD INTERACTIVE AMUSEMENT DEVICE

Examiner: Not Yet Known

Group Art Unit: 3712

**FILING OF MISSING PARTS
OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(f)**

Box **MISSING PARTS**
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted, mailed on April 2, 2002, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53(f), the following documents are enclosed:

1. Required copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (1 page);
2. Executed Declaration (3 pages);
3. Executed Power of Attorney (1 page);
4. Executed Submission Under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) with copy of Assignment (4 pages);
5. Request for Corrected Filing Receipt (2 pages);
6. Copy of Filing Receipt indicating correction requested (1 page);
7. Letter Submitting Formal Drawing (1 page);
8. Formal Drawings, FIGS. 1-59 (56 sheets);
9. Fee Transmittal Sheet (1 page);
10. Check Number 912591 in the amount of \$65.00 (for the surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e)); and
11. Return Receipt Postcard.

In response to the statement that the drawings are informal, the Applicant submits formal drawings, FIGS. 1-59 (56 sheets) at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP

Date:

May 14, 2002

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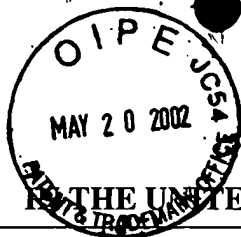
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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

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Dear Sir:

Please correct the filing receipt in the above-identified application as follows:

Under the heading **Domestic Priority Data As Claimed By Applicant:**

Applicant believes the Filing Receipt should be corrected to reflect the correct priority information which is correctly stated in the Specification and on the Application Data Sheet, i.e., that this application claims priority to a provisional application and to two non-provisional applications.

Applicant believes the Filing Receipt should read as follows:

**- - THIS APPLICATION IS A CIP OF 09/966,680 09/28/2001
WHICH CLAIMS BENEFIT OF 60/236,231 09/28/2000
AND CLAIMS BENEFIT OF 09/931,570 08/16/2001 - -**

It is believed that no fees are due in connection with this response. However, the Office is authorized to charge any fees associated with this response to Deposit Account 04-1420.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING DATE	GRP ART UNIT	FIL FEE REC'D	ATTY. DOCKET NO.	DRAWINGS	TOT CLAIMS	IND CLAIMS
10/071,545	02/08/2002	3712	412	14333	56	17	4

CONFIRMATION NO. 9874

FILING RECEIPT



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Date Mailed: 04/02/2002

Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

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Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

THIS APPLICATION IS A CIP OF 09/966,680 09/28/2001
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-- AND CLAIMS BENEFIT OF 09/931,570 08/16/2001 --

Foreign Applications

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted 04/02/2002

Projected Publication Date: To Be Determined - pending completion of Missing Parts

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

** SMALL ENTITY **

Title

Card interactive amusement device

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SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)

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Sir:

Trendmasters, Inc., a Missouri corporation, is an owner of the patent application identified above by virtue of either:

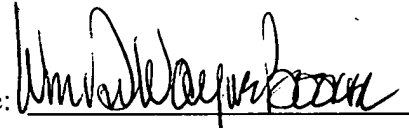
A. ☒ An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application identified above, a copy of which is attached.
OR

B. ☐ A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this statement on behalf of **Trendmasters, Inc.**

Dated: March 21, 2002

Signature: 

Name: Wm. DeWayne Booker
Title: Sr. VP Licensing & Marketing



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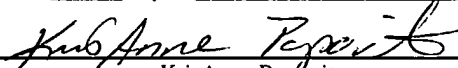
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SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS
(UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.85)

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KrisAnne Popovits


Dear Sir:

The attached 56 sheets of formal drawings (FIGS. 1-59), in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.84, are submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.85. Please substitute the attached formal drawings (FIGS. 1-59) for the informal drawings (FIGS. 1-59), previously filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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**APPLICATION
FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET
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Complete if Known

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (Check One)

1. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any over payments to:
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- ☒ Charge any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17
☒ Applicant claims small entity status (see 37 C.F.R. 1.27)

2. ☒ Check Enclosed

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
114	160	214	80	<input type="checkbox"/> Prov. Filing Fee
101	740	201	370	<input type="checkbox"/> Utility Filing Fee
106	330	206	165	<input type="checkbox"/> Design Filing Fee
108	740	208	370	<input type="checkbox"/> Reissue Filing Fee

Subtotal (1) 0

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Number Claims	Prior	Extra	Fee from Below*	Fee Paid
Total	-	20	=	x	=
Indep.	-	3	=	x	=
Multiple Dependent Claims			=	x	=

Subtotal (2) 0

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent Claim
109	84	209	42	Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

FEE CALCULATION (Continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - Late nonprovisional filing fee or oath	\$65.00
126	180	126	180	Submission of IDS	
581	40	81	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	280	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
146	740	246	370	Submission After Final 1.129	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
148	110	248	55	Terminal Disclaimer Fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility/Reissue Issue Fee (including advance copies)	
143	460	243	230	Design Issue Fee (inc. advance copies)	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
195	300	195	300	Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication	
196	300	196	300	Publication fee for re-publication	
140	110	240	55	Petition to Revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to Revive - unintentional	

OTHER FEE (specify)

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